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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director for Collection and Dissemination
SUBJECT: Release of Training Manual to USIA
REFERENCE: Memo from AD/CD to DTR, dtd 29 Mar 55, Subject,
"Release of Training Manual to USIA"

1. In consideration of paragraph 2 of the reference this Office recommends against dissemination of TR-IM-0-1, Collection of Information for Intelligence Purposes, to USIA at this time for the following reasons:

- a. In its current edition the Manual contains reproductions of Air Force and Naval intelligence reports which are unauthorized for reproduction without prior permission of the Service concerned. Such permission has not yet been obtained from the Air Force and Navy Departments. The Office of Training intends to accomplish this with your assistance at the earliest practicable date.
- b. While this Office agrees in principle that the Manual is of general interest throughout the intelligence community and should be disseminated externally to the Agency, such action should await the formulation of a firm dissemination policy. Action to this end is now being taken in collaboration with representatives of OCD and with the Secretary of the Intelligence Advisory Committee.
- c. In discussions on this subject with [REDACTED] Chief, Liaison Division, OCD, it was agreed that concurrence in the formulation of dissemination policy from Agency components and other IAC agencies is required prior to external dissemination of the Manual. With your assistance these should be accomplished prior to acceding to the USIA request.

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2. In view of the foregoing, it is recommended that USIA be advised that the Manual is not ready for external dissemination at this time but will probably be available to them in the near future.

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Director of Training

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